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Welcome to Beth Shalom! Great to have you with us.
Please join us during Kiddush after services. B'ruchim Habaim (Welcome!)

Shavuon

A Beth Shalom Weekly

"Anyone who observes the Sabbath properly, even if he be an idolater, is forgiven his sins."
~ Yochanan ben Zakkai

15-22 Adar I 5771 **February 18-25, 2011**

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Transliterations of services are available; speak to an usher to get a copy.

Hearing Devices: Beth Shalom has hearing devices for all services. Should you require one, please speak to an usher.

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Kabbalat Shabbat Service in the Sanctuary
Candlelighting for February 18 is at 5:18pm
Kabbalat Shabbat Services at 5:30pm

Shabbat Morning Services in the Sanctuary at 9:30 am
Ki Tissa
Guest Darshan: Rabbi Ethan Tucker
Exodus 30:11-31:17
Haftarah: I Kings 18:1-39
Kiddush is Sponsored by our Kiddush Club

Shabbat Babysitting at 10:15am in Room 4/5

FDI (Future Daveners of Israel) - kids ages 3-6 from 10:45am in Room 1
Kid's Kehilla - kids ages 7-11 from 10:45am in Room 2

Kiddush Co-op from 1:00-2:00pm in the open space downstairs

Meet & Greet with Rabbi Reena Spicehandler - our interim rabbi while Rabbi Borodin is on Sabbatical - from 1:15pm in the Beit Midrash

The Beth Shalom office will be closed this Monday, February 21, in honor of President's Day.

Monday morning minyan will remain at 7 am.

Weekday Minyanim in the Beit Midrash
Monday - Friday: 7:00AM • Monday Evening: 7:30-8:00 PM
Sunday Morning: 9:30-10:15 AM
Torah study group every Sunday;
Torah study immediately following Minyan in the Beit Midrash

To honor the sanctity of Shabbat and High Holidays, we do not permit smoking, photography, writing, use of beepers, cell phones or other wireless equipment.
When congregants are standing in prayer please do not disturb their concentration by moving around the shul.

In consideration of other members, please minimize the use of scented body products. Thank you.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

ERUV Website
Follow this link to check on the Eruv update each week http://twitter.com/cstleruv.

CBS Gift Card / Scrip Program
Good news for observers of the Beth Shalom Scrip Program: The number of purchases of gift cards by CBS members and non-members alike has now exceeded 1,000. Kol hakavod! If you have any questions or comments about the program, please feel free to contact Marjie in the shul office, or Kevin Coskey at (206) 365-2275 or at scrip@bethshalomseattle.org. AND if you can't make it to CBS to buy scrip during office hours? Come on Tuesday & Wednesday night! Our friendly door greeters, Talya and Elric, can sell you scrip between 6:30-7pm and from 8-8:15pm. Scrip available for: QFC, Safeway, Albertsons, Home Depot, ARCO, PCC and Starbucks.

Join our Facebook group!
Get the latest news, join in discussions, keep in touch. From www.facebook.com, just search on *Congregation Beth Shalom* and click "join."

Beth Shalom's Judaica On-Line Shop
Remember our online Judaica shop? The CBS homepage at Judaicabeautiful.com, directly benefits Beth Shalom. A percentage of all proceeds will come back to us and is yet another way to support the community at no additional cost to you. Just shop!
There is an online registry to take advantage of as well as many other exciting benefits.

PCC Now Carries Kosher Meat
The Viewridge store of PCC is now stocking kosher meat in the freezer section. They have whole chicken, chicken breasts and beef brisket and ground beef. These meats are not organic but are "natural" and grain fed.

Call Your State Legislators
The Social Action Committee asks you to contact your state legislators to support two bills on behalf of foster children. HB 1128 and SB 5245 would extend foster care from age 18 to age 19. CBS volunteers at the Ryther Child Center and at TeenFeed can well imagine 18-year-old foster kids ending up homeless and at TeenFeed. Let's give them a break

SAVE THE DATE!
The Job of a Jew is to be a Partner in Acting to Make the World a Better Place
Sunday, 3/13 from 12:45-4pm at Temple Beth Am
Repair the World will host an afternoon workshop of learning, sharing and growing.
Join Jewish educators and community members as we seek to bolster our commitment to service, justice and action, while developing tools for incorporating these values into daily life.
Presenters will include: CBS Members, Beth Huppin, Ken Weinberg, Rabbi Will Berkovitz and Amee Sherer, as well as Rivy Kletenik and Robert Beiser.
Find us on Facebook:
http://www.facebook.com/event.php?eid=179765855398445

Mitzvah Day—Support Tent City 3 and Lake City Meal Program
Sunday, 3/20
This year, Mitzvah Day is designed to facilitate our participation in the mitzvah of matanot l'evyonim—gifts to the poor. As part of the mitzvah, gifts of food or money must be given to those less fortunate, and directly received on the holiday itself. The Social Action committee is offering opportunities to observe this mitzvah on Purim day, Sunday, March 20th. Please sign up ahead of time as spaces for these activities are limited. RSVP no later than March 11th by emailing Robert Isgur at: risgur@broadstripe.net

1. Prepare take-away bags for guests at the Lake City meal program. This will take place from 12:15—1:00pm in the Beth Shalom social hall.
2. Prepare a meal for residents of Tent City 3. We will be cooking at Beth Shalom on Purim afternoon from 1:00-4:00pm.
3. Serve the meal at Tent City 3, and visit with residents. This will take place from 5:45-6:30 pm at Cherry Hill Baptist Church, 700 22nd Ave in Seattle.

Habitat for Humanity

Beth Shalom's Habitat for Humanity Project
Sunday, 4/3
The Social Action Committee invites Beth Shalom members to join a Habitat for Humanity crew on Sunday April 3rd. We will be working on a new construction project at Rainier Vista Housing. Participants must be 16 or older. Volunteers are welcome to join for a morning, afternoon or full-day shift. For more information, please contact Sheryl Kipnis at cbshforh@gmail.com.

Shabbas Chefs
We could use a few more people who are occasionally available during the day to pitch in and help the Shabbas Chefs. Let us know if you can!
Contact: Judith Benjamin and Mark Berman, co chairs judithbenj@comcast.net or msbxiv@gmail.com.

MILESTONES

- Mazel Tov to Mitch Dernis, on becoming the incoming President of the SJCS Board

TODDAH RABAH

- Stan & Nancy Zeitz, for sanding, taping and spackling the walls at Beth Shalom to ready them for painting
- Don Aylesworth and Stan Zeitz, for re-painting all the needed areas in the building
- Joanna Gerber, for her help in our office
- Hamantaschen bakers this week:Joani Diskin Saran, Edith Horn, Karen McGonigle, Patricia Morton-Thomas and Michael Tobias Balderas
- To the two dessert Shabbas Chefs, Michele Yanow and Hannah Cordes and their helpers, Emily Barton, Judith Mentzer, Marcy Midgdal, Julie Marguiles, Iris Brummer, Edna Oberman, Peg Elephant and Ruth Dick

UPCOMING PROGRAMS AND EVENTS

Middah of the Month - Trust (Bitachon)
Shabbat, 2/26 from 1:15 – 2:15 pm in the Beit Midrash
Mussar guides us to cultivate trust and courage and provides methods to help us strengthen those traits within.

Tot Shabbat
Upcoming dates - 3/5, 4/2
1st Shabbat monthly 11:00—11:30am in Room 2
A community-led, interactive celebration for children ages 0-3 and their parents. Join us monthly for songs, stories, and snack. All are welcome. For more information email: iriteliav@bethshalomseattle.org.

The Israel Discussion Group
Shabbat, 3/5 from 1:15pm in the Beit Midrash
Assaf Nisenboym, from Stand With Us Northwest, will be the speaker.

Stitch & Schmooze
Sunday, 3/13 from 10:15am-12:15pm
The next Stitch and Schmooze is Sunday, March 13, 10:15am-12:15pm.
Check with Carol Benedick at carolbenedick@bethshalomseattle.org for address information or tell her you would like to host.
We are now meeting the 2nd Sunday of the month

Women's Rosh Chodesh Chavurah
Sunday, 3/13 from 7-9pm at Shirah Bell's home
Come explore how Queen Esther's spirit thrives in you and our community of women. We'll use some engaging and fun methods to dive into this story and see its modern day relevance.
Facilitator: Rose Yu
Please email carolbenedick@bethshalomseattle.org or call the CBS office for address information. Call Carolyn Friedkin at (206) 522-5965 for general information.

Pleasure of Your Company – an Evening in Honor of Rabbi Borodin's Sabbatical
Sunday, 2/27 from 6-10pm at Eltana, 1538 12th Ave–Capitol Hill
$36 per person, suggested donation
Sponsors $54 per person
Patrons $72 per person
The $36 suggested donation benefits the General Fund. Donations over $36 will also benefit the Rabbi's Discretionary Fund, which allows the rabbi to provide tzedakah to individuals in need.
All donations benefit the Rabbi's Discretionary Fund.
RSVP to the office at 206-524-0075 or online at www.bethshalomseattle.org.

MORE—Pleasure of Your Company Events

Murder Mystery Dinner
Saturday, 3/5 from 7pm the Perlmutter/Douglas home
Join co-hosts Diane Douglas & Steve Perlmutter and Susan Monas & Sam Wineburg, for a dinner party and murder mystery game. Assume the role of one of eight worldly characters aboard the last train out of soon to be occupied Paris, June 13, 1940. Enjoy hours of good food, intrigue and suspense. Bring a sense of humor and an investigative mind.
RSVP to susanmonas@msn.com. This event is being sponsored by the membership committee. Suggested donation $18 per individual or $36 per couple. Space available on a first come first served basis.

Improv Evening at Beth Shalom
Saturday, 3/12 from 7:30pm

Youth Minyan for Adults
Shabbat morning, 3/19 from 10-Noon

ADULT EDUCATION NEWS

POSTPONED BY POPULAR DEMAND
Feeding the Jewish Soul and the Jewish Body: How and why cooking and eating Jewish foods elevate the Jewish spirit with Jeremy Alk
During the first hour of this course, we will discuss the values inherent in Jewish food prep and eating. During the second hour, well regarded Jewish chefs and cooks will look beyond the primary Jewish soul foods.
Time: Wednesdays, 7-8pm and 8pm-9:15pm
New Dates: March 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 (5 sessions)
Cost: 1st hour only: $50/member, $75/non-member, 2nd hour only: 90/member, $135/non-member
Both hours: $130/member, $195/non-member
(Tuition for all classes include supply fee)

POSTPONED BY POPULAR DEMAND
Bob Dylan, Kinky Friedman and Other Jewish Rockers: What their lyrics and their lives say about Jewish consciousness and identity in America with Jeremy Alk
Time: Tuesdays, 8:15-9:15pm
New Dates: March 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 (5 weeks)
Cost: $50/member, $75/non-member

New Class!
Pirkei Avot with the commentary of Me'am Lo'ez
Join us for a continuation of the study of Pirkei Avot with Jessica Smith, now on Wednesday evenings, starting February 9, 8:15-9:15pm.
Cost: $90/Members; $135/Non-members

Religious School Jewish Book Sale
Want to purchase great Purim and Pesach books for your children? The Beth Shalom Religious School is selling books from KarBen Publishers. The Religious School receives a percentage of the profits from these sales. If you'd like to check out some of the books that they have available, visit www.karben.com. Then, place an order through Ann Kelly at annkelly@bethshalomseattle.org. Orders due by March 6, 2011. This is a great and easy way to encourage your children to read Jewish books. Form more information, you can also contact Irit Eliav, Director of Education, at Iriteliav@bethshalomseattle.org. Thank you for supporting our school.

HAMAKOM YINACHEM ETCHEM: *"May God Comfort You"*

MEMBERS IN SHLOSHIM OR YUD BET HODESH

- Gloria Goldstein, for her husband, Norton Goldstein, z"l (22 Shevat)
- Nancy Cooper, for her father, Jerald Cooper, z"l (22 Shevat)
- Jonathan Solovy, for his father, Jerold Solovy, z"l (14 Shevat)
- Lori Safer, for her father, Barney Cohn, z"l (23 Tevet)
- Benjamin Levie, for his brother, James Levie, z"l (15 Tevet)
- Jettie Person, for her father, Walt Person, z"l (8 Tevet)
- Rochelle Roseman, for her mother, Sara Groonis, z"l (17 Kislev)
- Charles Shifren, for his father, Seymour Shifren, z"l
- Merrie Schriro, for her father, George Schriro, z"l (10 Kislev)
- Dina Tanners, for her mother, Jeanette Nelson, z"l (29 Cheshvan)
- Arielle, Ethan and Jaron Bernstein, for their father, Rob Bernstein, z"l (27 Cheshvan)
- Hilary Bernstein, for her husband, Rob Bernstein, z"l (27 Cheshvan)
- David Marks, for his mother, Edith Rabinowitz Marks, z"l (23 Cheshvan)
- Michael Newman, for his mother, Carol Spero Newman, z"l (15 Cheshvan)
- Bella Korshin, Svetlana Burke, Emma Shusterman and Marina Kiselev, for their mother, Sofia Byk, z"l (13 Cheshvan)
- Mark Stiefel, for his father, Ernest Stiefel, z"l (11 Cheshvan)
- Doris Stiefel, for her husband, Ernest Stiefel, z"l (11 Cheshvan)
- Mark Fefer, for his father, Alexander Fefer, z"l (25 Tishrei)
- CBS Congregation, for our friend, Norman Rosenzweig, z"l (23 Tishrei)
- Judy Borodin, for her mother, Blanche Fersh, z"l (18 Tishrei)
- Michael de Haan, for his mother, Cecilia de Haan, z"l (21 Elul)
- Robert Amkraut, for his father, Sidney Amkraut, z"l (19 Elul)
- Judy Rosenfeld, for her son, Ariel Rosenfeld, z"l (6 Elul)
- Kim Isaac, for her husband, Josh Isaac, z"l (22 Av)
- Barry Shane, for his wife, Joyce Shane, z"l (20 Tammuz)
- CBS Congregation, for our friend, Chaya Amiad, z"l (12 Tammuz)
- Jesse Kleinman, for his mother, Goldie Darvin Kleinman, z"l (5 Tammuz)
- Esther Altshul Helfgott, for her husband, Abe Schweid, z"l (3 Tammuz)
- Judith Mentzer, for her father, Charles Mentzer, z"l (25 Sivan)
- Ilene Ruvinsky, for her mother, Rebecca Ruvinsky, z"l (24 Iyar)

MEMBERS IN SHLOSHIM OR YUD BET HODESH CONTINUED

- Andrew Cohen, for his father, Lewis Richard Cohen, z"l (7 Iyar)
- Stacy Globerman, for his mother, Helene Chaiya Schultz Globerman, z"l (28 Nissan)
- Bob Cordes, for his father, Ron Cordes, z"l
- Selig Leyser, for his mother, Gertrude Leyser, z"l (14 Nissan)
- Allen Safer, for his father, Robert Safer, z"l (22 Adar)

MEMBERS OBSERVING YAHZEITS

- David Bennett, for his father, Michael Bennett, z"l
- Betsy Maurer, for her father, Michael Maurer, z"l
- Stephen Montsaroff, for his grandmother, Eudice Bernstein, z"l
- Edith Horn, for her cousin, Fred Roer, z"l
- Jane Becker, for her mother, Mildred Becker, z"l
- Brent Brown, for his father, Meyer Brown, z"l
- Deborah Kerdeman, for her mother, Esther Kerdemann, z"l
- Carol Starin, for her father, Lawrence Oseran, z"l
- Suzanne Cole, for her mother, Helen Silverman, z"l
- Robert Spitzer, for his sister Jil Spitzer-Fox, z"l
- Steve Katz, for his grandmother, Rebecca Shafer, z"l
- Maria Erlitz, for her mother, Fay DiCristofalo, z"l
- Patti Kieval, for her father, Lesner White, z"l
- Claudia Berman, for her father, Henry Horlick, z"l
- Yonah Karp, for her uncle, Fred Greenberg, z"l
- Fern Rogow, for her grandfather, Michael Rogow, z"l
- Louis Janson, for his uncle, Morris Weiss, z"l
- Yaakov Medrash, for his mother, Bronia Medrash, z"l
- Kayla Weiner, for her father, Ervin Weiner, z"l
- Norman Chapman, for his mother, Mollie Chapman, z"l
- Donald Kronenberg, for his mother, Marcia Kronenberg, z"l
- Amy Fulton, for her grandmother, Mollie Chapman, z"l
- Wimsey Cherrington, for her grandfather, Charles Cherrington, z"l
- Cindy Hirsch, for her cousin, Jonas Gottfried, z"l

REFUAH SHLEMAH

If your loved one's name is not listed, you may announce them during the prayer for the sick, after the reading of the Torah.

CBS Members

- Daniella bat Sarah (Debi Vans Evers)
- Ari ben Zelda (Robert Spitzer)
- Tzvi Moshe ben Mordechai Haim ha'Levi v'Hava (Ron Schneeweiss)
- Baruch Leib ben Meir
- Devorah Hannah bat Sarah v'Shlomo (Doris Stiefel)
- Israel Zvi ben Yehudit v'Shmuel (Howard Klein)
- Yenta Sarah bat Minche Rukhl (Jane Becker)
- Yakov ben Fayga (Yakov Koltman)
- Benyamin Lev ben Aviiva Ora v'Shmuel Moshe (Julian Silver)
- David Henached shel Goldja (Elric Wolfsbruder McCurdy)
- Yachna Maryam ha'Cohen bat Masha Leah
- Chisda ben Yonah (Tony Moore)
- Chizkiyahu Yitzchok Yehoshuah ben Rachel v'Eliezer
- Yitzchak ben Miriam v'Benjamin (Ira Kalet)
- Yaffa Tova bat Reuven (Jane Fein)
- Batsheva bat Sofia
- Ita bat Taube (Inna Lacker)
- Aviella Bara bat Nechama Raisel v'Shlomo Vared (Susan Aylesworth)
- Malka bat Leah v'Rav Avram (Mildred Rosenbaum)

RELATIVES of Members

- Chayah bat Chana (Helen Kieval), mother-in-law of Patti Kieval (re-listed 2/6)
- Yisrael Chanech ben Hannah, father of Ellen Spear (re-listed 2/6)
- Dorothy Saran, mother of Craig Saran (re-listed 2/6)
- Shoshana bat Irene (Susan Markowitz), cousin of Patti Kieval (re-listed 2/6)
- Aryeh Lev (Leo Shalinsky), father of Howard Shalinsky (re-listed 2/6)
- Devorah bat Esther (Doreen Marx), step-mother of Jay Kruelwitch (re-listed 2/6)
- Nitzanya Tovah bat Shayna Liba v'Shaul, relative of members (listed 1/20)
- Shana Bruchela (Jessica Stone), cousin of Jennifer Cohen (listed 1/20)

Refuah Shlemah

The Refuah Shlemah list is for the seriously ill and names need to be re-submitted monthly.

Each entry is dated. The listing expires one month from the listing date. To renew names on the list call Marjie at 206-524-0075.

Thank you for understanding our policy to make room for names in the future.

RELATIVES of Members continued

- Feivel ben Schmuel (Philip Shiekman), father of Carol Slosberg (listed 1/20)
- Bentzion Mendel ben Nechama (B. Manny Schreiber), cousin of Dina Tanners (listed 1/27)
- Christine Tanners, daughter-in-law of Dina Tanners (listed 1/27)
- Zelda bat Golda (Wendy Hayes), step-mother of Tamira Hartman (listed 1/27)
- Shraga Fieval ben Sarah v'Yeshiya, father of Marci Greenberg, z"l (listed 1/28)
- Wendy Horwitch, sister of Carrie Horwitch (listed 1/31)
- Burt Horwitch, uncle of Carrie Horwitch (listed 2/2)
- Steven Berman, son-in-law of Chris & Mia O'Quin (listed 2/4)
- Meir ben Mordechai, father of Danielle Yancey (listed 2/10)
- Gordon Konsker, brother of Robert Konsker (listed 2/10)

FRIENDS of Members

- Yehuda Dov Ha'Cohen ben Malkah, (Ernest Cohen), friend of Sharon Greenberg (re-listed 2/6)
- Larry Zolton, friend of Patti Kieval (re-listed 2/6)
- Rabbi Joshua Stampfer, friend of Congregation Beth Shalom and Camp Solomon Schechter (re-listed 2/4)
- Joel Figen, friend of Kayla Weiner (listed 1/24)
- Kent Morrissey, friend of Carrie Horwitch (listed 1/31)
- Esther bat Sarah (Estelle Wilde), friend of Robert Hovden (listed 1/31)
- Yaakov ben Rina (Jacob Glickman), religious school family member (listed 2/10)
- Gavriella Chaya bat Sara (Congresswmn Gabrielle Giffords)
- Gilad Shalit, the kidnapped Israeli soldier in Gaza